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TO: Mr. Proctor

FROM: SUBJECT: Notes for Executive Council Item on
Colby Directives

REMARKS:

"You will recall that last spring, in connection with the Watergate investigation, we were asked to report to the IG all information on possible questionable activities that we were engaged in. As you know, Mr. Colby used this material extensively in his pre-confirmation meetings with Symington, Nedzi and others on the Hill. During the course of these meetings, Colby made very specific commitments assuring the Congressmen that the Agency would not stray from its legislative charter. By the way, Colby is going to circulate the transcripts of his hearings to all employees to make clear that he backs fully the direction given by Schlesinger about employees promptly reporting questionable activities that are requested or laid on by others. "

"I am going to pass out to you specific guidance from Mr. Colby on some of those activities that we reported on last spring. I have broken these down by Office. In those few instances where we were to no longer engage in the reported activity, we must follow Mr. Colby's directions to the letter. Most of these, however, are authorizations to continue those activities we initially raised questions about."

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"If on reviewing your individual package you see difficulties with them please let me know what your problem is as quickly as possible, so that I can raise the matter with Colby. Also, let me know if the activity approved for your office should be reflected in modification of existing Agency Regulations. "

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MEMORANDUM FOR: DDI Offices & Staffs

Your comment on whether this Directive
requires modification of Agency Regulations
must be given to no later
than Friday, 7 September.

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